LITTLEMORE ASYLUM.

SUPERINTENDENT'S REPORT

FOR

1848.



LITTLEMORE ASYLUM.

[comprising an union of the Counties of Oxford and Berks, the City of Oxford, and the Boroughs of Abingdon and Reading, for the maintenance of their Pauper Lunatics.]

At the first Meeting of the Committee of Visitors of the Pauper Lunatic Asylum at Littlemore appointed for the Year 1849 held at the Asylum (pursuant to due Notice) on Wednesday the 31st day of January 1849 (being within one Calendar month after the election of the present Committee)

PRESENT

JOSEPH WARNER HENLEY Esquire, M.P. Chairman,

ROBERT BULLOCK MARSHAM Esquire, D.C.L.

THE REV. PHILIP WYNTER D.D.

THE REV. RICHARD HARINGTON D.D.

JOHN HENRY ASHHURST Esquire,

EDMUND CURRIE Esquire,

EDWIN MARTIN ATKINS Esquire,

JOSEPH ARNOULD Esquire, M.D.

THE MAYOR OF OXFORD (WILLIAM THORP Esquire,)

WILLIAM HENRY BUTLER Esquire,

THE MAYOR OF READING (THOMAS HARRIS Esquire,) and CAPTAIN EDWARD PURVIS;

Resolved that the following

REPORT*

of the Superintendent be printed and circulated.

To

^{*} Rule 25.—[of the General Rules of the Asylum.] The Superintendent shall submit to the Committee of Visitors, at their first Meeting after the Oxfordshire Epiphany Quarter Sessions annually, a Report, in writing, of the general condition of the Asylum, and the number and character of the Patients; distinguishing the numbers who have been received and discharged as cured; the number of readmissions; the number employed, and in what manner; the deaths which have occurred in the preceding year, and also the total number of discharges, cures, and deaths since the opening of the Institution, and specifying the sexes in each statement; with such other facts as the Superintendent may think desirable, or which the Visitors may have suggested.

To the Committee of Visitors.—

MY LORDS AND GENTLEMEN,

The most prominent events of the past year have been the completion of the Union of the Counties of Oxford and Berks, the City of Oxford, and the Boroughs of Abingdon and Reading; and the removal to this Asylum of the Male and part of the Female Patients of Berkshire, from the Licensed Houses in which they were confined.

The number of Persons so removed was not greater than was expected;—and their removal was effected without accident or injury; and the Patients bore creditable testimony to the care with which they had been treated. Subsequent admissions however, of new cases, increased the number of Patients in the Asylum to an amount not anticipated prior to the completion of the new Buildings; so that the Wards have been, for the time, more crowded than was desirable; and this has led to increased noise and excitement amongst the Patients.

The number of Workmen employed upon the premises has,—in addition to the rainy season,—obliged the Inmates to be more confined to their Wards than is usual; and these combined circumstances have been a subject of anxiety, from the disturbance and inquietude produced on the minds of the Patients. In a few weeks however, the new Buildings will be completed, and the Workmen consequently withdrawn: when, on the removal of these impediments, and the return of the Spring season,—so favorable to the Patients taking out-door exercise,—beneficial results may be expected. Two of the Body of Commissioners in Lunacy have twice visited and inspected the Asylum during the past year; and on both occasions they observed upon the Beds being so closely placed in the Dormitories, and the proba-

bility that crowding the Patients would tend to excite them,—and the Commissioners expressed a hope that the opening of the new Buildings would remove these objections, and also dispense with the use of the Galleries as Dormitories. On all other points in the discipline of the Asylum the Commissioners were pleased to express their satisfaction.

The Attendants have been uniformly reminded of their duty in preserving cleanliness and ventilation; and it is gratifying to report that the Asylum has been free from any general visitation of disease, or any unwonted state of ill health.

The numbers of Patients now in the Asylum are-

Males 116

Females 117

Total 233

It will be in the remembrance of some of the Visitors that the Commissioners in Lunacy called attention to the fact of my having once admitted a Patient upon an informal Order. Since that occasion therefore, I have felt it to be my duty to refuse admission in more than one case where the Rules for admission had not been strictly complied with; and, to the importance of the scrupulous observance of which Rules, I would venture to call especial attention; so as to prevent the miscarriage or non-operation of an Order immediately it is issued.

The subjoined Table of the length of time of Patients having been affected with Insanity before admission, will shew that the intention of the Law to provide early relief for the Malady, is not carried out; and it is evident that Lunatics who have been harmless in their demeanour and not in bad health, have been retained in Union Workhouses until emergency or illness has suggested the necessity for their removal hither; but the advantages of early application for the relief afforded by a public Asylum, cannot be too much enforced.

The arrangements made here for the accommodation of the afflicted, are such as cannot be supplied at home. The moral control to which they are subjected by experienced Attendants has an effect far more beneficial than the restraint of anxious friends on the one hand,—or of powerful medicines, counteracted by exciting causes,— on the other:

I have already observed that the year 1848 was unfavorable to this Institution, both on account of the Season, and the excitement of the Patients created by other causes.

The mortality has been greater in the past than during the preceding year; whilst the number of recoveries in proportion to the number of Inmates, has been less.—The recoveries in 1847 were unusually numerous, arising from the class of Patients admitted, and from the greater quiet maintained in the Asylum.—The average rate of Discharges by recovery in 1848 has been ten per cent. upon the whole number of Patients; and the average rate of Deaths has been in the same proportion.

The class of Patients on whom the greatest mortality has fallen requires attention. In the year 1847 the mortality was nine per cent. on Patients received immediately from their homes; and in 1848 it was nearly eighteen per cent. on Persons so received,—and only about six per cent. on those received from Houses of confinement;—the total mortality for the latter year being a fraction more than ten per cent.;—which is not a

high average;—as may be seen by the Tables of Dr. Farr in his Report on the Statistics of Insanity, which I have embodied in the Appendix.—The explanation offered by Dr. Farr's Tables is, that in the licensed Houses where both Pauper and Private Patients are admitted,—the mortality of the Private Patients is only one half that of the Pauper;—because the Friends of the Private Patients obtain earlier aid than is generally procured for the Pauper.

The comparison I have made with regard to the mortality of Patients admitted in the year 1848, with those previously in the Asylum, will shew how large a proportion of the Patients was already, upon admission, laboring under severe and dangerous illness; a fact which increases the amount of deaths compared with the total number of Patients; and which increase would, in all human probability, be diminished by an earlier application for the benefits of this Institution.

The occupations of the Male Patients have been Gardening, Shoemaking, Tailoring, and House-work; and some assistance has been given to the House Carpenter.—The Women, on the other hand, have been engaged in Needlework, the Laundry, and Household-work. The subjoined list of the articles of clothing made by the Female Patients, will best evidence the amount of service they have rendered.

There have been two accidents by fire during the year; and, although neither of them caused any serious injury, I desire to record them for the sake of future precaution.—One of these Fires was caused by a burning coal falling from the Grate and igniting a Calico Garment, which was placed near the Grate to be dried; and the other Fire arose from a Patient taking a Match from the candlestick of an Attendant who was ill, and concealing it;

by means of which the Patient afterwards set fire to her own bed clothes. The same Patient also on two occasions eluded the vigilance of her nurse, and concealed herself for so long a time as to occasion great alarm for her safety.

During the year one of the male Patients had a Rib broken by a kick from another Patient. And an Epileptic Patient broke his leg when falling in a fit.

The insecure state of the boundary of the Asylum Grounds, on one side, has allowed several Patients to pass beyond it, but no escape has occurred.

There have been four Inquests upon deceased Patients held during the year: Two on Men, who died suddenly; one on a Woman who was suffocated in a fit of Epilepsy; and the fourth on an aged Woman who died after a short illness.

The Financial Statement of the Receipts and Expenditure of the year, upon the Maintenance Account (contradistinguished from the Building, or Capital Account,) is subjoined.—And it will be seen by this Account that the average cost of the Patients per head, per week for the year, has been 9s. 8d.; but as the number of Patients in the Asylum now amounts to 233, and will be shortly augmented by an accession of Berkshire Patients,—the cost for the ensuing year will be lessened unless the price of provisions should materially rise.

I have the honor to remain,

My Lords and Gentlemen,

Your most obedient Servant,

WILLIAM LEY,

Superintendent.

Littlemore Asylum, 1st January 1849.

APPENDIX.

Summary of Patients in 1848.

	Μ.	F.	Tot.
In the Asylum on December 31, 1847 Admitted	55	79	134
From Licensed Houses From their homes	37 51	16 55	53 106
Total Discharged on re-	143	150	293
covery	9	21	30°
Died	18	12	30
In the Asylum on 31st Decem. 1848	116	117	233

Term of Patients' Insanity prior to admission at Littlemore.

3 days and	uno	der 7 d	ays		5
1 week	66	2 w	eeks		11
2 "	46	4	66		9
1 month	66	2 m	onth	s	13
2 "	66	6	66		16
6 "	66	12	66		9
1 vear	66	2 ye	ears		4
1 year	66	7	66		18
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riods					21
21000					
		Tota	1		106

Ages and other Statistics of the above 106 Lunatics.

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Total	4	3	6	2	23	26	2	1	8	9	8	14	51	55	106

Summary of the Patients admitted; discharged; and who have died, since the opening of the Asylum; with the numbers now remaining; shewing the County, City, or Borough, to which they belong.

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	Removed from Licensed	ed from			Sent	Sent immediately from their	ely from	their Homes.	ies.			
	House	ses, &c.	18	1846.	18	1847.	18	1848.	Tot	Totals.		
	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.		
Admissions: Oxfordshire Patients Berkshire Ditto Oxford, City, Ditto Abingdon Ditto Reading Ditto	24 8 8 8	40 16 8	1 2	23	5002	21 8 7	19 22 6 1	36 14 13	83 61 20 6	120 38 19 1	203 99 39 7	
Total	82	64	9	24	34	36	51	55	173	179	352	
Oxfordshire Patients Oxfordshire Ditto Oxford, City, Ditto Abingdon Ditto Reading Ditto			70	9	7 241	840	20011	15	71 4 5 6 2	29 8 4	46 12 9 2	
Total			5	9	14	14	6	21	. 28	41	69	
Ditto, removed to another Asylum, or relieved					-	2			Н	77	က	
Deaths: Oxfordshire Patients Berkshire Ditto Oxford, City, Ditto Abingdon Ditto Reading Ditto			p-4		8 -	4-0	898 1	9684	17 6 4 1	0441	27 10 8 8	
Total			H		6	7	18	12	28	19	47	
Kemaining in Asyluin on olst December 1040. Oxfordshire Patients Berkshire Ditto Oxford, City, Ditto Abingdon Ditto									49 10 10 4	79 26 11 1	128 777 211 33	4
Totals									116	117	233	

Data of the duration of the Patients' Insanity prior to admission.

	-	1846			1847			1848	•
	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.	M.	F.	Tot.
Jan. 1, within the first year of first attack - within dicto, not of first attack - within the second year of attack - after longer period of attack Admitted, within the first year of first				4 3 38	5 3 3 54	9 6 3 92	5 3 3 44	6 6 4 63	11 9 7 107
attack in the second year of attack after longer period of attack	5 4	7 6 4 54	12 10 4 96	16 6	13 13 1 10	29 19 1 22	24 8 2 54	26 14 2 29	50 22 4 83
Total	51	71	122	79	102	181	143	150	293
Discharged, within the first year of first attack not of first attack within the second year of attack after longer period of attack	1	2 3 1	3 4 1 3	7 5 1 2	6 8 1 1	13 13 2 3	7	12 6 1 2	19 6 2 3
Total	5	6	11	15	16	31	9	21	30
Died, within the first year of first attack not in first attack within the second year of attack after longer period of attack	1		1	3 1 1 4	1 2 4	3 1 8	8	6 1 5	14 1 15
Total	1		1	9	7	16	18	12	30
Remaining, within the first year of first attack							10 6 1 99 116	9 7 3 98 117	19 13 4 197 233
Of Patients within the first 2 years and 5 months of the opening of the Asylum, there were	T	reate	d.	Disc	char	ged.		Died	
	M.	F.	Tot.	М.	F.	Tot.	М.	F.	Tot.
Total, in the first year of first attack not of first attack in the second yearlonger Insane	44 18 3 108	44 33 14 88	88 51 17 196	15 6 2 6	20 17 3 3	35 23 5 9	11 1 1 15	7 2 1 9	18 3 2 24
Totals Deduct number of Discharges and Deaths Patients Remaining on 31 December 1848	173	179	352 119	29	43	72	28	19	47
actions are maining on at December 1848			233						1

Discharges on recovery, in the year 1848, with duration and form of Insanity.

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		Duration of	Insanity.	
PATIENTS.	Ages.	Prior to admission.	From admission until discharged.	Form of Insanity.
P. B. J. A. L. M. H. A. W. E. H. T. T. M. D. R. E. M. H. D. B. J. S. R. H. C. C. F. G. J. U. S. D. S. A. M. D. L. C. M. W. L. C. R. S. J. C. M. R. A. W. E. E. S. P. L. B. J. S.	39 39 18 24 60 42 37 32 23 40 21 30 55 50 28 22 80 50 32 40 47 40 33 33 75 43 42 52 43 52 43 52 43 52 43 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54 54	2 days 7 "" 10 ", 2 weeks 2 "" 2 "" 3 "" 3 "" 4 "" 4 "" 4 "" 4 "" 8 "" 8 "" 8 "" 8	Months. 8 6 2 3 8 4 3 7 10 4 14 6 6 3 3 11 6 2 9 9 7 6 16 17 28 5	Delirium Tremens. Hereditary Mania. Febrile Mania. Puerperal Mania. Recurrent Mañia. Puerperal Mania. Melancholia. Hysterical Mania. Melancholia Suicidal. Recurrent Mania. Religious Mania. Hysterical Mania. Hysterical Mania. Melancholia. Puerperal Mania. Yuerperal Mania. Suicidal. Febrile Mania. Melancholia. Melancholia. Melancholia. Febrile Imbecility. Recurrent Mania. Imbecility. Recurrent Mania. Imbecility. Melancholia Suicidal. Febrile Mania. Febrile Mania. Hysterical Mania. Recurrent Mania. Hysterical Mania. Recurrent Mania. Hysterical Mania. Recurrent Mania. Hysterical Mania. Recurrent Mania.

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	Cause of Death.	General Paralysis and Phthisis. Fever, and Disease of the Heart. Gangrene and Abseess of the Lungs. Disease of the Heart. Maniacal Exhaustion, and Disease of the Heart. Fever. Softening of Cerebellum. Age, and Ossification of the Arteries. Edema of the Lung. Softening of the Brain. Abseess of the Lungs. Debility, with Paralysis. General Paralysis, with Atrophy of Brain. Diseased Lungs. Consumption. General Paralysis, with Atrophy of Brain. Abseess of the Lungs. Consumption. Grently Brain, and Diarrhæa. Atrophy of the Brain, and Diarrhæa. Atrophy of the Brain, and Disease of Lungs. Diseased Lung and Pleura. Atrophy of the Brain. Atrophy of Brain, and Disease of Lungs. Softening of the Brain. Asthma, and Disease of Lungs.
Duration of Insanity.	From Admission until Death.	3 days 9 11 13 16 19 23 8 weeks 9 10 11 3 months 3 14 weeks 18 6 6 7 8 8 8 9 10 17 17 20
 Duration o	Prior to Admission.	2 years 4 days 3 years 3 months 4 weeks 1 week 6 months 6 weeks 2 weeks 2 weeks 2 weeks 2 weeks 6 months 3 years 6 months 6 months 6 months 6 months 7 years 6 months 7 years 6 months 7 years 7 years 6 months 7 years 7 years 8 years 9 years 15 months 8
	AGES.	888 888 888 888 888 888 888 888 888 88
	Patients.	

Deaths in 1848, with duration of Insanity, and cause of Death.

Number of Admissions in each Year since the opening of the Aylum shewing the terms of confinement of

	ADN	11T	red.			DISCHARGED in 1846.						I	OIEI in		DIS	сH	ARC	3ED	in 1	847
	Front House	ses	Fro the Hon	eir		Rec	over	ed.	Re	lieve	ed.]	1846.		Red	cove	red.	Re	eliev	ed.
Admitted	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	1 Otal.
In 1846 1847 1848	45 37	47 1 16	6 34 51	24 36 55	92 30 1 70 53 106	1	5	5 6				1		1	2 2 10	5	2 7 19	1	2	3
Total	82	64	91	115	352	5	6	11				1		1	14	14	28	1	2	3

n 1st August 1846; and the Discharges and Deaths in the same period, ne Patients remaining in the Asylum.

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Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.	Male.	Female.	Total.
4 2	3	7 3		2	2				4	2	4 2	6 3	3 10	9 13				9 2	3	12 5	30 1	41	71 12
3	3	6	3 1 5	7 12	10 1 17				1 2 11	2 8	3 2 19	13 1 5	16 12	29 1 17	1	2	3	4 2 11	5 8	9 2 19	16 34 35	13 16 35	29 50 70
9	7	16	9	21	30				18	12	30	28	41	69	1	2	3	28	1 9	47	116	117	233

Patients.	AGES.	Asylum or Licensed House in which previously confined.	which previously confined.	Date of discharge from Littlemore.	Date of admission, or re-admission at
H.	55	Hook Norton			15.1 16.10.40
	38	Bethlem			rep. 10, 1848
•	31	Bellevue, Devizes	Littlemore	Oct. 6, 1847	March 2
	40	Bethnal Green			April 26
	58			Nov. 6, 1846	29
	40		Littlemore	June 23, 1847	Mav 4
	42	The Warneford			_
	22	Bellevue, Devizes		Jan. 1848	0 0
	40		Littlemore	OC.	96
К.	38	Bethnall Green		real to index	1.00 1.0
	44		Littlemore	June 17, 1848	
	38	Bethlem			July 5
	32		Littlemore	Nov. 27, 1847	
	20		Littlemore	Ang. 28, 1847	~ \
W.	30	Bellevue, Devizes		101 602 . Cont	# œ
	49	Bethlem			91
	34	Bellevue, Devizes			Sent 2
	61		Littlemore	Aug. 4. 1848	
•	45	Camberwell			Oct 72
	70	The Warneford			14
S. H.	45		Littlemore	Jan. 2, 1847	Nov 3
	42	St. Luke's			
•	61	1	Littlemore	July 29, 1848	» « <u> </u>
	40	Bellevue, Devizes			1

Table by Dr. Farr of the Mortality in the Metropolitan Asylums, at which Paupers are received: to which is added the Mortality at Littlemore Asylum in 1848.

		Mortality ent. of treated.	Deaths	s in 100 arges.
In Metropolitan Licensed Houses	Male.	Female.	Male.	Female.
Pauper Lunatics	26-8	16-4	37-5	31-8
Private Patients	13-2	8-4	25-9	20-3
In Hanwell Asylum, Pauper				
Lunatics	16-	8-9	58-5	53-
At Littlemore, 1848.				
In confinement, January 1848.	7-9	4-4	63-	28-4
Admitted since	22-	14-2	66-	40-

Table by Dr. Farr of Insane Persons Living, Cured, and Dead, and of the annual rate of Mortality in different stages of Insanity; deduced from the Hanwell Asylum Reports.

Period of Dise	ease from mission.	Number.	Cured or	Died.	Out of 10 in the	0
Years.			Relieved		Cured or Relieved	Died.
	1/2	619	150	152	24-2	24-6
$\frac{1}{2}$	$1\frac{1}{2}$	944	155	130	16-4	13-8
$1\frac{1}{2}$	$3\frac{1}{2}$	1033	32	87	3-1	8-4
$3\frac{1}{2}$	$5\frac{1}{9}$	673	20	48	3-	. 7-1
$5\frac{1}{2}$	$7\frac{1}{2}$	383	9	27	2-3	7-
	7½	3652	366	444	10-	12-2

ACCOUNT

OF

RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS

BY THE TREASURER OF THE ASYLUM,

For the Year ending 31st December 1848,

[AS PREPARED BY THE HOUSE STEWARD AND CLERK OF THE ASYLUM.]

RECEIPTS.

1. From Sale of Garden 2 £. s. d. £. s. Produce of Garden 2	d.
$\langle \text{exclusive of consump-} \rangle 6 17 4 $	
$\left(\begin{array}{c c} \text{exclusive of consump-} \\ \text{tion in the House} \end{array}\right) = \left[\begin{array}{c c} 6 & 17 & 4 \\ \end{array}\right]$	1
Live Stock 60 3 9	
	-
Old rags 9 6 68 1	3
2. MAINTENANCE ACCOUNT.	
Of Paupers From Unions & Parishes	
(1.) in Counties & Boroughs	
contributing to Asylum. Abingdon Borough 341 6 0	
Chipping-Norton Union 515 16 5 Cookham Union 269 2 2	1
Easthampstead Union 50 0 9	
Faringdon Union 112 10 4	
Headington Union 458 17 10	
Henley Union 293 19 2	
Hungerford Union 255 6 3	
Newbury Union 140 16 4	
Oxford City 650 4 11	
Reading Borough 47 18 7	
Carried forward	3

·.	£.	s.	$\mid d.$	£.	S.	d_{\bullet}
Brought forward	3979	9	9	68	1	3
Thame Union	257	3	4			
Wallingford Union	290	19	3			
Wantage Union	167	4	5			
Windsor Union	116	11	11			
Witney Union	465	12	9			
Wokingham Union	102	4	6			
Woodstock Union	346	14	0			
Wycombe Union	6	11	8			
				5732	11	7
(2.) In other Counties and			- ()			
Boroughs not contributing.						
Aylesbury Union, Bucks,	28	1	1			
Dursley Union, Glouces-						
tershire,	12	4	9			
Stratford on Avon Union,						
Warwickshire,	28	15	2			
				69	1	0
The Weekly Rate of Maintenance						
throughout this period was			- 1			
Eleven Shillings.						
Total			£	5,86 9	13	10
			-			

PAYMENTS.

	£.	s.	(d.	£.	s.	d.
Balance brought from Last Year's				186		7
Account						
1. SALARIES AND WAGES:—						
(1.) Establishment.					1.	
Officers:—						
Superintendent	250	0	0		i i	
Chaplain	170	0	0			
Clerk of the Visitors	210	0	0		direction of the second	
Treasurer	21	0	0		of the state of th	
Clerks of the Bank	5	5	0	1 1 1		
Clerk of the Asylum	70	0	0			
Housekeeper	30	19	.9.		-11 1	
Attendants:						
Head Male Attendant	30	0	0	1		
Ditto Female ditto	25	0	0		-	
Carried forward	812	4	9	186	12	7

· •	£.	\$.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forward	812	4	9	186	12	7
Head Female Laundry At-						
tendant Seven Male Attendants,	20	0	0			
(one at £25, and six at						
£20 each)	133	16	6			
Seven Female Sub-Attendants, (three at £16,						
three at £14, and one at						
£8)	89	13	2			
Male Night Attendant, at 14s. per week	36	8	0			
Female Night Attendant	18	7	8			
Servants:—						
In Door Porter	16	0	0			
Kitchen Maid	10	15	6			
House Maid	14	1	6			
Two Laundry Maids	22	1	0			
Out Door	0.0	10				
Lodge Porter Fireman	32 26	16 0	$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$			
At a cost of 2s. 4d. per head				1232	4	1
per week.						
2. Provisions, (including all						
articles in dietary)		١				
**Bacon, 2,262 lbs. at $6\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb.	60	13	7			
Beer, 7,869 galls. at 7½d.		10				
per gall.	247	19	2			
Bread, 76,850 lbs. at $5\frac{1}{2}$ d. per 4 lb. loaf.	439	15	8			
Butter, (salt), 2,466 lbs. at	400	10	O			
93s. 2d. per cwt.	102	13	10			
Butter, (fresh), 614 lbs. at 1s. 3d. per lb. nearly.	20	=	7.0			
Cheese, 4,490 lbs. at 60s.	38	5	10			
per cwt.	120	8	0			
Currants, 129 lbs. at 6\frac{3}{4}d.	3	11	0			
Eggs, 5,116, at 1s. 7d. per score	20	7	4			
Flour, 20,765 lbs. at 37s.	20		4			
934d. per sack	140	5	0			
Carried forward	1173	19	5	1418	1.6	8

^{*} The price of this and many of the following articles is arrived at by the nearest multiple that the average cost will admit of.

	£.	s.	d.	Į£.	s	d.
Brought forward	1173	19	5	1418	16	8.
Lard, 196 lbs. at 7d. per lb.		l	4	1410	10	0.
Meat, 32,521 lbs. at 6_{100} d.				Į.		į
per lb.	814	11	0			
Milk, 3,129 galls. at 8d.						
per gall.	104	6	0			
Oatmeal, 601 lbs. at 20s. $7\frac{1}{9}$ d. per cwt.	5	10	8			
Raisins, 113 lbs. 12 oz. at		10	0			
$6\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb.	3	0	6			
Rice, 2,769 lbs. at 19s.						
6d. per cwt.	24	1	9			
Sugar, (loaf), 177 lbs. 12						
oz. at 58s. $7\frac{1}{2}$ d. per cwt.		12	8			
Sugar, (moist), 4,052, lbs.		-			{	
9 oz. at 44s. 3½d. per cwt. Tea, 675 lbs. 9 oz. at 3s.	80	1	9			
$11\frac{1}{45}$ d. per lb.	132	5	6			
Tobacco and Snuff, 119lbs.	102	3	U			
12 oz. at 4s. 2d. per lb.	24	19	0			
Treacle, 383 lbs. at $3\frac{1}{4}$ d.					Ì	
per lb. nearly.	5	1	3			
Vinegar, Salt, Mustard,						
Pepper, and Peas	10	10	10			
Miscel. (arrowroot, &c.) The estimated value of Ra-	18	9	3			
tions to Sempstress and	- 1	3	11			
Tailor are deducted, and	2407	J	1.7			
carried forward to Item						
No. 5, Clothing Expenses	50	0	0			
At a cost of 4s. $5\frac{3}{4}$ d. per				2357	3	11
head per week.						
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3. NECESSARIES, (Fuel, Light-						
ing and Washing) Candles, (composition,)						
144 lbs. at $11\frac{1}{2}$ d. per lb.	6	18	0			
Candles, (dips,) 603 lbs.		10	V			
at 5s. 11½d. per doz.	15	0	0			
Coals, 348 tons, 2 cwt. at						
26s. per ton.	452	10	7		1	
Coals, 7 tons, at 27s. per ton	9	9	0			
Wood	9 5	1	0		1	
Lamp Glasses	5	4	3	¢		
Lamp Cottons	3	4	0			
Carried forward	501	6	10	3776	0	7
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	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forward	501	6	10	3776	0	7
Oil, (southern,) 146 gallons, 2 pints at 2s. 10d. per gall.	20	14	3		i	
Oil, (sperm,) 2 gallons, at 8s. per gall.	0	16	0			
Soap, (yellow,) 48 cwt. 3 qrs. 18 lbs. at 48s. 1d. per cwt.		12	3			
Soap, (soft,) 606 lbs. at £1 4s. 5d. per firkin Soda, 34 cwt. at 8s. 8¼d. Starch and blue Washerwomen Man & Horse to raise Water At a cost of 1s. 4¼d. per head	11 14 3 10 26	11 15 13 15 0	5 6 3 8 0	707	5	2
per week.						
4. Surgery and Dispensary. Drugs Leeches Surgical Instruments Stout Wine and Spirits Occasional Medical Assist-	18 4 3 0 20	7 15 3 16 15	10 4 0 0 7	The state of the s		
ance.	28	7	0			
Sundries At a cost of $1\frac{3}{4}$ d. per head per week.		8	0	76	12	9
5. Clothing.	-	_				
Buttons, 14 gross Calico, 103 yards, at 4d.	1	16 13	0 7	·		
Clogs, 7 doz. at 10s. 6d.	3	13	6		,	
Cloth, Grey, (men's) 210 yards, at 4s. 2 d.	44	3	9			
Cloth, Grey, (women's) $548\frac{3}{4}$ yards, at 4s. $4\frac{1}{2}$ d.	120	0	9			
Duck, 100 yards, at 12½d.	5	4	2			
Forfar, $144\frac{3}{4}$ yards, at $9\frac{1}{4}$ d.	5 3	14	9			
Hats, 6 dozen, at 10s. 6d. Laces, 4 gross	1	4	6			
Linen, 30 yards, at $7\frac{1}{2}$ d.	0	18	9	y		
Muslin Check, 6 yds., at 6½d.	0	3	3			
Neckerchiefs, (men's) 269, at $6\frac{1}{2}$ d.	7	5	8			1
Carried forward	195	1	8	4559	18	6

	£.	s.	d.	£.	s.	d.
Brought forward Ribbon, 54 yards, at 2d. Shoemaker Sempstress Her rations estimated at Tailor His rations estimated at Tape Ticking Thimbles Thread, Needles, &c. At a cost of 8\frac{1}{4}d. per head per week.	195 0 31 14 25 38 25 7 10 0 10	9 6 0 17 0 17 16 12	8 0 9 0 6 0 6 0 6	359	7	11
6. FURNITURE. Baskets Bedstead feet Culinary & other Utensils, Brushes, Mops, &c. Cordage Canvas Chamber ware Crockery At a cost of 1\frac{1}{4}d. per head perweek.	12 1 18 4 4 7 3	12 18 11 5 3 17 3	6 2 6 2 4 0 0	52	10	8
7. Funeral Expenses. Coffins & Shrouds, Bearers, and Burial Fees At a cost of ½d. per head per- week.	21	14	6	21	14	6
8. Repairs. Plumber Blacksmith Carpenter Paint Repairing Pumps & Taps Zinc, Nails, &c. At a cost of 1d. per head per week. 9. Garden Expenses. Head Gardener, (part of the year) Carried forward	26 3 1 0 1 31	0 18 4 4 19 13	0 3 1 1 1 1 0	34 5028	19	4

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Draught forward	91	1		5000	10	11
Brought forward Under Gardener	31	$\frac{4}{0}$	0	5028	10	11
	39	U	0			
Assistants in Garden, and Labourers	18	1	6			
Garden Line and Twine	0	11				
Seeds	14	5	9 6			
Brooms and Stakes	14	5	6			
At a cost of $2\frac{1}{2}d$. per head per	1	J	U			
week				104	8	3
week				104	0	J
10. Miscellaneous.						
Advertisements, Stationery, Printing, Postage and			,			
Printing, Postage and Postman, &c.	50	12	6			
Bath Brick, Blacking, Black	50	12	U			
	4	14	10			
Lead, and Bees Wax		14	10			
Baking Dinners (whilst	10	4	1			
kitchen under repair)	5	8	$\begin{vmatrix} 4\\10 \end{vmatrix}$			
Carriage of Parcels	3	11	6			
Chimney Sweep	3	5	6			
Cleaning Apparatus Hearth Stones	12	1	0			
	18	14	7			
House Cloths Matches	0	18	6			
Matches Month's allowance to a		10	U			
Month's allowance to a Patient out on trial	9	0	0			
Assistants in the Kitchen	$\begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$	8	9			
Rates and Taxes	7	11	6			
		11	U			
At a cost of 2 ³ / ₄ d. per head per week				119	11	10
week				110		10
Cash in House Steward's						
hands for current expenses	19	1	2			
Balance in Treasurer's hands	598	1	8			
Datanoon Loading Shands		-		CIP	0	10
)			617	2	10
Total			£	5,869	13	10

BALANCE SHEET FOR THE YEAR 1848.

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	186 1232 2357 707 76 359 21 34 119 119 119 528	£5,869
PAYMENTS.	Balance of last year's account Salaries and Wages Provisions Necessaries Surgery and Dispensary Clothing Furniture Funeral Expenses Repairs Garden Expenses Miscellaneous Cash in House Steward's hands Balance in Treasurer's hands	± 5
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	£. 68 1 5801 12	£5,869 13 1
RECEIPTS.	From Sale of Produce, &c 5801 12 For Maintenance of Patients 5801	£5,869 13 1

The average number of Patients during the year was 200, and the aggregate number of days of Residence of the Patients

during the year was 73,328.

COMPARATIVE PRICES OF PROVISIONS.

	1849.	First Quarter.	Price Contractors.	Messrs. 78s. Whitlock. 78s. Grimbly and Hughes. 34s. Martin. 4½d. R. Greening. 8d. Smith. 18s. Grimbly and Hughes. 26s. Round. """ "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "" "
		Fourth Quarter.	Price Contractors.	Messrs. Whitlock. Grimbly and 87s. Hughes. Jessop. Smith. Grimbly and 19s. Hughes. Round. Giles. Grimbly and Hughes. Hughes. Grimbly and Hughes.
	8,	Third Quarter.	Price Contractors.	Messrs. 91s. Grimbly and Flughes. 64d. Jessop. 8d. Smith. 17s. Grimbly and 17s. Round. 27s. Giles. 48s. Hughes. Grimbly and 48s. Hughes. Grimbly and 48s. Hughes.
	1848.	First Quarter. Second Quarter.	Price Contractors.	rs. r and es. r and es.
		First Quarter.	Price Contractors. Price Contractors. Price Contractors. Price Contractors.	Messrs. Gd. Nevell. Messrs. Messrs.
	1847.	Fourth Quarter.	Price Contractors.	6d. Whitlock. 98s. Grimbly and Hughes. 6d. Greening. 8d., Smith. 24s. Hughes. 26s. Round 60s. Grimbly and Hughes. 26s. Round 64s. Grimbly and Hughes. Grimbly and Hughes. Grimbly and Hughes.
The second secon			T. L.	BREAD, at per 41b. Loaf 6d. Whitlock. BUTFIER, (salt.) at per 6d. Whitlock. Gwt

Summary of the Cost per Patient per week.

				s.	d.
1.	Salaries and Wages -	-	-	2	4
2.	Provisions	-	-	4	$5\frac{3}{4}$
3.	Necessaries	-	-	1	41
4.	Surgery and Dispensary	-	-		$1\frac{3}{4}$
5.	Clothing	***	-		81
6.	Furniture	_	-		14
7.	Funeral Expenses	-	-		$\frac{1}{2}$
8.	Repairs	-			1
9.	Garden Expenses	_	-		$2\frac{1}{2}$
10.	Miscellaneous	-	-		$2\frac{3}{4}$
				9	8
8. 9.	Repairs Garden Expenses	-	-	9	1 2 ½ 2 3 4

The following Clothing has been made in the Asylum during the year 1848.

BY TAILOR AND MALE PATIENTS.	Brought forward		2190
	Chemise, calico		375
Coverlids, ticking, (quilted) 24	Ditto, flannel		106
Mattresses 12	Gowns, night	• •	282
Pillows5	Ditto, print		243
Shirts, ticking 23	Ditto, linen	• •	77
Frocks, ticking 19	Ditto, woollen	• •	22
Jackets, grey cloth80	Handkerchiefs, (hemmed)		216
Waistcoats, ditto 135	Neckerchiefs, (hemmed)	c •	701
Trowsers, ditto 89	Petticoats		169
	Shirts, calico		172
Total 387	Ditto, flannel	• •	65
	Stockings	• •	12
BY WARD ATTENDANTS AND	Ditto, (grafted)		66
FEMALE PATIENTS.	Smock Frocks, (men's)	• •	21
7.7	Ticking Drawers		5
Mattresses 12	Ticking Chemise		27
Pillows 24	Cloths, House	• •	29
Pillow Cases 347	Ditto, Knife	•	74
Sheets 858	Ditto, Tea	• •	30
Screens, ticking 6	Ditto, Table		24
Curtains and Valance, in sets 4	Towels, Bath		125
Aprons, check 380	Ditto, Round	• •	129
Bonnets, calico 23	Ditto, Hand		55
Caps, knit worsted, (men's) 149			
G 1 7 0 7	Total		5215
Carried forward 2190			

The Repairs of the Clothing have also been done in the Wards.

